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Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.

CALIFORNIA—*Sacramento*.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 30,000. Total number of deaths, 32, including diphtheria, 2, and 5 from phthisis pulmonalis.

CONNECTICUT —Reports to the State board of health for the month of July, 1902, from 164 towns having an aggregate census population of 901,422, show a total of 1,394 deaths in July, including diphtheria, 11; enteric fever, 12; measles, 7; scarlet fever, 4; whooping-cough, 26, and 119 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Bridgeport.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 72,000. Total number of deaths, 118, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 1, and 10 from tuberculosis.

IOWA—*Davenport*.—Month of July, 1902. Census population, 35,254. Total number of deaths, 55, including enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 1, and 4 from phthisis pulmonalis.

KANSAS—*Wichita*.—Two weeks ended August 16, 1902. Estimated population, 28,163. Total number of deaths, 18, including 1 from tuberculosis.

MARYLAND—*Cumberland*.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 17,128. Total number of deaths, 43 including enteric fever, 1; whooping cough, 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

MASSACHUSETTS—*Worcester*.—Month of June, 1902. Estimated population, 121,064. Total number of deaths, 144, including diphtheria, 1; scarlet fever, 2; whooping cough, 1; smallpox, 1, and 19 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of July, 1902. Total number of deaths, 177, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 2; measles, 2; scarlet fever 3, and 14 from tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, for the week ended August 16, 1902, from 83 observers, indicate that neuralgia, influenza, inflammation of kidneys, scarlet fever, inflammation of bowels, and erysipelas were more prevalent, and enteric fever, whooping cough, diphtheria and meningitis were less prevalent than in the preceding week. Meningitis was reported present at 7, diphtheria at 13, whooping cough at 22, measles at 24, smallpox at 38, scarlet fever at 52, enteric fever at 76, and phthisis pulmonalis at 222 places.

The Monthly Bulletin of vital statistics says—

There were 2,347 deaths returned to the department of state for the month of July, or 113 more than the number recorded in June. The death rate was 11.3 per 1,000 population.

There were 509 deaths of infants under 1 year of age; 186 deaths of children aged 1 to 4 years, inclusive, and 625 deaths of persons aged 65 years and over.

Important causes of death were as follows: Pulmonary tuberculosis, 152; other forms of tuberculosis, 28; typhoid fever, 37; diphtheria and croup, 26; scarlet fever, 10; measles, 13; whooping cough, 26; pneu-

monia, 102; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 200; cancer, 140; accidents and violence, 235.

There were four deaths from smallpox, distributed as follows: One each in the city of Alpena, Alpena County; Custer Township, Antrim County; Sherman Township, Iosco County, and Flynn Township, Sanilac County. Two deaths from lightning occurred during the month, 1 in Frankenmuth Township, Saginaw County, and 1 in Sanilac Township, Sanilac County. There were also 4 deaths reported from tetanus, following wounds received on July 4.

The month was a very favorable one, most of the diseases recorded showing a diminished frequency. There was a slight increase in the number of deaths from typhoid fever; an increase, not as marked as usual, in the number of deaths from diarrheal diseases of children, and the usual increase of deaths from violence, chiefly due to drowning, that occurs at this season.

NEBRASKA—*South Omaha*.—Month of July, 1902. Census population, 26,001. Number of deaths not reported. No deaths from contagious diseases.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—*Manchester*.—Month of July, 1902. Census population, 56,987. Total number of deaths, 127, including enteric fever, 1, and 8 from tuberculosis.

OHIO—*Cleveland*.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 390,000. Total number of deaths, 647, including diphtheria, 7; enteric fever, 12; measles, 3; scarlet fever, 2; whooping cough, 8; smallpox, 19, and 34 from tuberculosis.

TENNESSEE—*Memphis*.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 81,320—white, 51,128; colored, 30,192. Total number of deaths, 168—white, 99; colored, 69—including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 6; measles, 1; scarlet fever, 4, and 26 from tuberculosis.

VIRGINIA—*Richmond*.—Month of May, 1902. Estimated population, 100,000—white, 67,250; colored, 32,750. Total number of deaths, 141—white, 62; colored, 79—including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 1; measles, 1, and 16 from tuberculosis.

Month of June, 1902. Total number of deaths, 208—white, 107; colored, 101—including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 1; measles, 1, and 21 from tuberculosis.

Month of July, 1902. Total number of deaths, 209—white, 93; colored, 116—including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 10; scarlet fever, 1; whooping cough, 6, and 24 from tuberculosis.

WASHINGTON—*Seattle*.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 115,000. Total number of deaths, 79, including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 3; whooping cough, 1, and 6 from tuberculosis.

Tacoma.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 55,000. Total number of deaths, 52, including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 1, and 5 from phthisis pulmonalis.

WISCONSIN—*Milwaukee*.—Month of July, 1902. Estimated population, 300,000. Total number of deaths, 314, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 3; measles, 4; whooping cough, 8, and 37 from tuberculosis.